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SUBJECT: ACCESS TO USLO AND OTHER MATTERS

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1. ON NOVEMBER 5, USLO PASSED VERBAL REQUEST TO MFA CONSULAR DEPARTMENT PER PARA 3 REFTEL B. WE HAVE RECEIVED NO REPLY. ON DECEMBER 9 WE ASKED MFA AGAIN AND ONLY ANSWER WAS THEY HAD NO INFORMATION FROM THE "DEPARTMENT CONCERNED."

2. WE NOW PROPOSE TO REQUEST MEETING TO DISCUSS NOT ONLY ARCHIE LEE, BUT BERTHA LIU, YANG SISTERS, AND SUSANNA YAP.

3. WE WOULD ALSO BE PREPARED TO RAISE QUESTION OF LILY WOON SOUND LIN (REFTEL D) IF DEPARTMENT BELIEVES IT APPROPRIATE. WOULD APPRECIATE REPLY TO REFTEL.

4. AT THE MEETING WE PLAN TO NOTE THAT USLO REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT BERTHA LIU IN MEETINGS ON APRIL 27 AND JULY 3; THAT YANG SISTERS AND SUSANNA YAP WERE DISCUSSED JULY 3 AND THAT REQUEST FOR ARCHIE LEE TO VISIT WAS MADE ON NOVEMBER 5.

5. WE WILL ALSO NOTE THAT DURING CALL BY MR. BUSH ON LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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T'EN P.ING, THE LATTER HAD CONFIRMED THAT CONSULAR

DEPARTMENT WOULD ASSIST IN OBTAINING REPLIES TO INQUIRS.

6. IN THE MEANTIME, WE SUGGEST YOU INFORM CONGRESSMAN
MCOSKEY'S OFFICE OF OUR INQUIRIES AND TELL THEM CHINESE
HAVE NOT REPLIED, AND THAT USLO IS CONTINUING TO TRY TO
OBTAIN INFORMATION.

7. IN ADDITION, WE SEE NO REASON WHY MCCLOSKEY'S OFFICE
COULD NOT SHOW HIS INTEREST BY MAKING AN INQUIRY OF PRCLO
SINCE ARCHIE LEE'S BROTHER WROTE PRCLO JANUARY 10, 1974.

8. WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S COMMENTS.
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